

**REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Application Number: 10/537,676	Confirmation Number: 8346
Filing Date: June 6, 2005	
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Group Art Unit: 1647	
Examiner: Eliy Gerald STOICA	
Attorney Docket Number: 10577.0003-00000	

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:

- a. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
 - i. Consider the arguments in the Response to Final Office Action previously filed on July 14, 2008.
 - ii. Other _____
- b. **DO NOT ENTER** the amendment(s) previously filed on _____. An alternate submission is attached.
- c. Enclosed submission:
 - i. Amendment/Reply
 - ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. Information Disclosure Statement
 - iv. Petition for One Month Extension of Time (1 page)

2. Miscellaneous

- a. Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ___ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(l) required.)
- b. Other _____

3. Fees

- a. The filing fee is calculated as follows:
 - i. \$810.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
 - ii. Petition for extension of time for one (1) month) \$120.00
 - iii. Other _____
- b. The total fee due of \$930.00 is filed herewith.
- c. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in the filing fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Signature of Applicant, Attorney, or Agent Required

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Signature: 	Date: August 26, 2008
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